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Memorandum

Mr. Mohr

DATE: 11/6/68

FROM: N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT: MURKIN--COST DATA

There is attached an airtel from the SAC at Memphis re captioned matter indicating that unless advised to the contrary by the Bureau the Memphis Division will, following a submission of October cost figures, discontinue furnishing such data. The basis for such action is that since the subject RAY is in local custody and the State trial is about to commence, there remains very little, if any, investigation to be conducted.

This office agrees with the SAC at Memphis that cost records on this case should be discontinued.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that this memorandum be referred to the Investigative Division for their views on discontinuing furnishing of cost data on this case.

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ADDENDUM: GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION REL:jms 11-7-68

It is anticipated that a number of Agents will be subpoenaed for testimony in the state trial of James Earl Ray in Memphis, Tennessee, scheduled for November 12, 1968. This, of course, will involve travel and per diem expenditures.

It is not anticipated that substantial costs will incur from investigation in this case in the future, and in view of this, it is recommended that cost records on this case be discontinued.